RECEIVED 4632 NITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Atty Dkt. 620-70 . In re Patent Application APR 0 4 2003 TECH CENTER 1600/2900 C# M# **BROWN** et al Group Art Unit: 1632 Serial No. 09/117,218 Examiner: Nguyen, Q. January 11, 1999 Date: March 31, 2003 Filed: TREATMENT OF NON-NEURONAL CANCER Title: **USING HSV MUTANT** Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231 Sir: RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.** Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment 38 minus highest number \$ 324.00 (at least 20) = \$ 18.00 previously paid for Х 20 Independent claims after amendment minus highest number 84.00 \$ 84.00 \$ previously paid for (at least 3) =3 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$280.00 (ignore improper) \$ 0.00 Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this 0.00 paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$410.00/2 months; \$930.00/3 months) \$ 0.00 Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$ 110.00 First/second submission after Final Rejection pursuant to 37 CFR 1.129(a) (\$750.00) \$ 0.00 Please enter the previously unentered , filed Submission attached Subtotal \$ 408.00 If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract -\$ 0.00 Applicant claims "small entity" status. Statement filed herewith \$ 0.00 Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee (\$180.00) 0.00 Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00) 0.00 Other: **TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$** 408.00 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. 1100 North Glebe Road, 8th Floor NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Responsive to the Official Action dated December 31, 2002, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested.

IN THE CLAIMS

Amend the claims as follows:

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